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For: PROCESS FOR SYNTHESIZING BLOCK POLYMERS BY
CONTROLLED RADICAL POLYMERIZATION FROM
DITHIOCARBAMATE COMPOUNDS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to the calculation of the filing fees, please enter the following amendment in the specification and claims.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Page 1, just after the title, please add: - This application is an application
under 35 U.S.C. Section 371 of International Application Number PCT/FR98/02867
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In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1 to 28 and add the following claims 29 to 52:

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